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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Robert V. M. Oerlemans et al.  
Application No. : 10/025,375  
Filed : December 18, 2001  
For : DATA TRANSFER DEVICE, TRANSACTION SYSTEM AND  
METHOD FOR EXCHANGING CONTROL AND I/O DATA  
WITH A DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM

Examiner : Glenn Allen Auve  
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Docket No. : 750039.401  
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Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated February 7, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.